

NATIONAL BANKSHARES INC  
Form 8-K  
May 11, 2016

**UNITED STATES**

**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

**Washington, D.C. 20549**

**Form 8-K**

**Current Report**

**Pursuant to Section 13 OR 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934**

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported) May 11, 2016 (May 11, 2016)

**National Bankshares, Inc.**

(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

**Virginia**  
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)

**0-15204**  
(Commission File No.)

**54-1375874**  
(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

**101 Hubbard Street**

**Blacksburg, VA 24060**

(Address of principal executive offices)

**(540) 951-6300**

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report) **Not applicable**

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions (see General Instruction A.2. below):

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Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

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**ITEM 8.01. OTHER EVENTS**

On May 11, 2016, National Bankshares, Inc. issued a press release announcing payment of a semi-annual cash dividend of \$0.55 per share on June 1, 2016 to stockholders of record on May 23, 2016.

National Bankshares, Inc.'s press release also announced the renewal of the authorization of a stock repurchase plan under which the Company's management is authorized to repurchase up to 100,000 shares of common stock in the open market during the period from June 1, 2016 through May 31, 2017.

A copy of the press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1.

**ITEM 9.01. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS**

(d) Exhibits

99.1 National Bankshares, Inc. Press Release, dated May 11, 2016.

**SIGNATURE**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

NATIONAL BANKSHARES, INC.

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Date: May 11, 2016

By: /s/ JAMES G. RAKES  
James G. Rakes  
Chairman President and CEO

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